Reason for this Transmittal

[X] State Law or Regulation Change[] Federal Law or Regulation

Change

Change
[] Clarification requested by
One or More Counties

[] Initiated by DCSS

[] Court Order or Settlement

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SUBJECT: EMPLOYER FEE INCREASE - INCOME WITHHOLDING ORDERS

Effective January 1, 2005, Assembly Bill 2530 amended Section 5235(d) of the Family Code to increase the fee an employer may charge an employee to process an income withholding order. Employers may now deduct \$1.50 from the earnings of the employee for each payment made pursuant to the order.

Please update any documents you provide to employers when issuing income withholding orders.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact Lindsay Farris, Manager, Case Management Enforcement Unit, at (916) 464-0547.

Sincerely,

SANDRA O. POOLE

Deputy Director

Child Support Services Division